- H.R. 1776: Mr. RAMSTAD.
- H.R. 1782: Mr. NADLER.
- H.R. 1797: Mr. GIBBONS and Mr. SHADEGG.
- H.R. 1870: Mr. McGovern.
- H.R. 1873: Ms. SANCHEZ and Mr. OLVER.
- H.R. 1874: Mr. BERMAN.
- H.R. 1904: Mr. THOMPSON.
- H.R. 1909: Mr. JENKINS.
- H.R. 1987: Mr. Frank of Massachusetts, Mr. Moran of Virginia, Mr. Defazio, Mr. Towns, and Mr. Clement.
- H.R. 2009: Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. TOWNS, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. RILEY, Mr. FILNER, Ms. RIVERS and Mr. ENGEL.
- $\mbox{H.R.}$ 2023: Mrs. Lowey, Ms. Carson, and Ms. McKinney.
- H.R. 2029: Mr. CALVERT.
- $\mbox{H.R.}$ 2038: Mr. Graham, Mr. Hoekstra, and Mr. Goodlatte.
 - H.R. 2050: Mr. PICKETT.
- H.R. 2053: Mr. THOMPSON and Mr. VENTO.
- H.R. 2081: Mr. NETHERCUTT.
- H.R. 2163: Mr. ROYCE.
- H.R. 2191: Mr. GREENWOOD.
- H.R. 2199: Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. DELLUMS, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, and Mr. WAX-MAN
- H.R. 2221: Mr. BAKER, Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. LOBIONDO, and Mr. McIntyre.
- $H.R.\ 2275;\ Mr.\ NADLER,\ Mrs.\ MORELLA,\ and\ Ms.\ WOOLSEY.$
- H.R. 2292: Mr. TALENT and Mr. SHAYS.
- H.R. 2327: Mr. BARTON of Texas and Mrs. CUBIN.
- H.R. 2349: Mr. STARK, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. PACK-ARD, and Mr. DREIER.
- H.R. 2404: Mr. VENTO.
- $H.R.\ 2421:\ Ms.\ FURSE,\ Mr.\ CONYERS,\ Ms.\ WOOLSEY,\ and\ Mr.\ PAUL.$
- H.R. 2422: Ms. WOOLSEY and Mr. RUSH.
- H.R. 2451: Mr. SHERMAN.
- H.R. 2454: Mr. Frank of Massachusetts and Ms. Jackson-Lee.
- H.R. 2457: Mr. Barrett of Wisconsin, Mr. Frank of Massachusetts, Ms. Jackson-Lee, and Mr. Clement.
- H.R. 2468: Ms. Brown of Florida, Mr. MARTINEZ, and Mr. HINCHEY.
- $\mbox{H.R.}$ 2503: Mr. Manton, Mr. Thompson and Mr. Clement.
 - H.R. 2543: Mr. THOMPSON.
 - H.R. 2549: Mr. YATES.
- H.R. 2568: Mr. WYNN, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mrs. Chenoweth, Mr. Lipinski, Mr. Fattah, Mr. Barlett of Maryland, Mr. Snowbarger, and Mr. Blagojevich.
- H.R. 2591: Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. JACKSON, Mr. YATES, Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, Mr. McNulty, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. LAFALCE, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. FROST, Mrs. MORELLA, and Mr. McGOVERN.
- H.R. 2599: Ms. JACKSON-LEE.
- $H.R.\ 2600:\ Mr.\ SAM\ JOHNSON,\ Mr.\ HILL,\ and\ Mr.\ McIntyre.$
- H.R. 2604: Mr. Kim, Mr. Neal of Massachusetts, Mr. Klink, Mr. Murtha, Mr. Holden, Ms. Kaptur, Mr. Kanjorski, Mr. Shaw, and Ms. Jackson-Lee.
- H.R. 2609: Mr. CALVERT, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. BONILLA, Mr. McIntosh, Mr. Goode, Mr. GILLMOR, and Mr. HALL of Texas.
- H.R. 2625: Mr. Shadegg, Mr. Calvert, Mr. Ryun, Mr. Talent, Mr. Gibbons, Mr. Thune, Mr. Wicker, Mr. McKeon, and Mr. Weldon of Pennsylvania.
 - H.R. 2626: Mr. DEFAZIO and Mr. HILL.
- $\mbox{H.R.}$ 2627: Mr. McHale, Mr. Hutchinson, and Mr. Combest.
- H.R. 2635: Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. OLVER, Mr. YATES, Ms. SANCHEZ, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. TORRES, Mr. DEFAZIO, and Mr. TALENT.
- H.R. 2639: Mr. WELDON of Florida and Mr. SANDLIN.
 - H.R. 2652: Mr. HALL of Ohio.

H.R. 2657: Mr. COLLINS and Mr. SESSIONS.

H.R. 2709: Mr. McIntyre, Mr. Engel, Mr. Lobiondo, Mr. Wolf, Mr. Gephardt, Mr. Neumann, Mr. Blunt, Mr. Hayworth, Mr. Livingston, Mr. Brown of Ohio, Mr. Foley, Mr. Hill, Mr. Ehrlich, Mr. Bachus, Mr. Baker, Mr. Roemer, Mr. McNulty, Mr. Rothman, Mr. Menendez, Mr. Visclosky, Mr. Frost, Mr. Latham, and Mr. Kennedy of Rhode Island

H.R. 2713: Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. RUSH, and Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.

- H.R. 2717: Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. McIntyre, Ms. Furse, Mr. Stupak, and Mr. Weygand.
- H. Con. Res. 13: Ms. MILLENDER-McDonALD and Mr. LIPINSKI.
- H. Con. Res. 55: Mr. STUPAK.
- H. Con. Res. 121: Ms. Jackson-Lee, Mr. EWING, Mr. GREEN, Mr. NEUMANN, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. BAKER, Mr. COBLE, Mr. HORN, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. McCrery, Mr. Bliley, Mr. McDade, and Mr. Livingston.
- H. Con. Res. 150: Mr. PICKERING, Mr. OBERSTAR, and Mr. Crapo.
- H. Con. Res. 156: Mr. SAXTON, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. STARK, and Mr. Manton.
- H. Con. Res. 160: Mr. TORRES, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. SANDERS, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, and Mr. HINCHEY.
- H. Con. Res. 162: Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, and Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania.
- H. Con. Res. 170: Mr. BAKER and Mr. HASTINGS of Washington.
- H. Res. 26: Mr. FAWELL, Ms. STABENOW, Ms. KILPATRICK, and Mr. McGovern.
- H. Res. 139: Mr. Weller and Mr. Pappas. H. Res. 279: Mr. Stark, Mr. Waxman, Mr. Weygand, and Mr. Ackerman.

¶121.39 PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 1 of rule XXII, petitions and papers were laid on the clerk's desk and referred as follows:

25. The SPEAKER presented a petition of the Butler Township Board of Commissioners of Lyndora, Pennsylvania, relative to Resolution No. 97–16 expressing concerns regarding personal wireless communication service facilities; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

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The House was called to order by the $\ensuremath{\mathsf{SPEAKER}}.$

¶122.1 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Tuesday, October 28, 1997.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal was approved.

¶122.2 COMMUNICATIONS

Executive and other communications, pursuant to clause 2, rule XXIV, were referred as follows:

5675. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—APHIS Policy Regarding Importation of Animals and Animal Products [Docket No. 94–106–8] (RIN: 0579–AA71) received October 29, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5676. A letter from the Director, Office of Management and Budget, transmitting a report on appropriations legislation pursuant

to the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 (Section 251(a)(7)), as amended by the Budget Enforcement Act of 1997; to the Committee on the Budget.

5677. A letter from the AMD—Performance Evaluation and RECORDS Management, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Implementation of Section 9 of the Communications Act; Assessment and Collection of Regulatory Fees for Fiscal Year 1997 [MD Docket No. 96-186] received October 28, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

5678. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Office of Policy, Food and Drug Administration, ransmitting the Administration's final rule—Food Labeling; Nutrient Content Claims: Definition for "High Potency" and Definitions of "Antioxidant" for Use in Nurient Content Claims for Dietary Supplements and Conventional Foods; Correction [Docket Nos. 95N-0245, 95N-0282, and 95N-0347] (RIN: 0910AA59) received October 28, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

5679. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of a proposed manufacturing license agreement for production of major military equipment with Japan (Transmittal No. DTC-111-97), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(d); to the Committee on International Relations.

5880. A letter from the President, Institute of American Indian Arts, transmitting the consolidated report for FY 1997 covering both the annual report on audit and investigative coverage required by the Inspector General Act of 1978, as amended, and the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act report, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

5681. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the Office's final rule—Fellowship and Similar Appointments in the Excepted Service (RIN: 3206–AH91) received October 28, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

5682. A letter from the Special Counsel, U.S. Office of Special Counsel, transmitting the FY 1997 annual report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act (FMFIA) of 1982, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

5683. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Reallocation of Pacific Cod [Docket No. 961107312-7021-02; I.D. 101697B] received October 28, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5684. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Business Expenses [Revenue Procedure 97-52] received October 29, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

¶122.3 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Lundregan, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate agrees to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 2107) "An Act making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for